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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for Letters Patent:

Applicant : ALAIN BLANCHARD ET AL.

Title : DEVICE FOR GUIDING FLAT OR SHEET-LIKE COPIES IN FOLDERS

7 sheets of formal drawings.

The payment in the amount of \$ 740.00 covering the filing fee.

Claim for Priority. Certified copy of the corresponding foreign patent application
No. 101 07 368.2 filed February 16, 2001.

This application is being filed without a signed oath or declaration under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f). Applicants await notification of the date by which the oath or declaration and the surcharge are due, pursuant to this rule.

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